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I believe I am the original, first and sole inventor (if only one name is listed below) or an original, first and joint inventor (if more than one name is listed below) of the subject matter which is claimed and for which a patent is sought on the invention entitled:

## A METHOD OF MANUFACTURING A RIGID INTERNAL GEAR OF A WAVE GEAR DEVICE

the specification of which (check only one item below): is attached hereto, and was amended on (if applicable). M was filed as United States Application Number July 11, 2003 on 10/616,986 and was amended on was filed as PCT International Application Number \_ (if applicable).

I hereby state that I have reviewed and understand the contents of the above-identified specification, including the claims, as amended by any amendment referred to above;

I acknowledge the duty to disclose to the office all information known to me to be material to patentability as defined in title 37, Code of Federal Regulations, Sec. 1.56 (as amended effective March 16, 1992);

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